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Inventor or Application Identifier:

Ranjit N. Notani, et al.

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

**Facilitating the Negotiation of Standards for Inter-Enterprise
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Enclosed are:

Specification, Claims and Abstract (36 Total Pages)
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